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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1 (currently amended): A facial harness apparatus for mounting in contact with a portion of the human face, the face having a chin, a mouth, cheeks, ears and a jaw bone, the apparatus comprising: a pair of fabric pocket panels joined at a front edge of the panels by an elastic strap, the panels extending in opposing directions so that with the elastic strap in contact with the chin an upper edge of each of the pocket panels is directed linearly from below the mouth to immediately above an ear, and a lower edge is directed divergently from immediately below ~~are in contact with sides of the face; the pocket panels sized so that an upper edge of each of the fabric panels extends from adjacent the mouth, across one of the cheeks to one of the ears, a lower edge of each of the fabric panels extending from the chin to the base of the mandible; the edges further extensive as coextensive straps~~ for fastening the harness around the head as a means for holding the apparatus in place on the face; and at least one pocket ~~a plurality of pockets in each of the pocket panels for engaging; and at least one hot-cold pack held within each of the pocket panels.~~

Claim 2 (cancelled)

Claim 3 (currently amended): The apparatus of claim 2-1 wherein the ~~at least one strap provides~~ straps provide a strap fastening means for joining the straps for securing ~~holding~~ the apparatus on the head.

Claim 4 (cancelled)

Claim 5 (currently amended) The apparatus of claim 1 wherein each of the ~~pockets~~ panels ~~is~~ arranged and sized so that a hot-cold pack is able to be placed in a forward pocket in a horizontal orientation and in a rearward pocket in a vertical orientation.

Claim 6 (cancelled)

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Claim 7 (cancelled)

Claim 8 (cancelled)

Claim 9 (cancelled)

Claim 10 (cancelled)

Claim 11 (new): The apparatus of claim 1 further comprising at least four hot-cold packs, the hot-cold packs engaged within the pockets.

Claim 12 (new): The apparatus of claim 11 wherein in each of the panels, one of the hot-cold packs is positioned horizontally in a forward pocket and another of the hot-cold packs is positioned vertically in a rearward pocket.